

Senate Resolution 198

By: Senator Sims of the 12th

A RESOLUTION

1 Commending the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce and recognizing February 20, 2019,
2 as Albany-Dougherty County Day at the state capitol; and for other purposes.

3 WHEREAS, the Albany area plays a key role in supporting Georgia's economy and
4 establishing Georgia as the number one state in which to do business; and

5 WHEREAS, Albany-Dougherty County is known for its attractions and growing tourism
6 industry, outdoor recreational opportunities, natural resources, world-class health care,
7 educational institutions, innovative small businesses, Marine Corps Logistics Base Albany,
8 and global industries, including Procter & Gamble, MillerCoors, Mars Chocolate North
9 America, Pfizer, and Coats & Clark; and

10 WHEREAS, the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce has, for 108 years, represented the
11 interests of the area with distinction to support a business climate that is conducive to
12 economic growth; and

13 WHEREAS, the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce plays a critical role in supporting and
14 protecting the commercial vitality and interests of the Albany area in the aftermath of the
15 tornadoes of 2017 and Hurricane Michael in 2018, and the people and businesses of the
16 community have demonstrated with resilience and resolve that "There's Only One Albany."

17 NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE that the members of this body
18 commend the Albany Area Chamber of Commerce for 108 years of excellence serving the
19 economic hub of Southwest Georgia and recognize February 20, 2019, as Albany-Dougherty
20 County Day at the state capitol.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of the Senate is authorized and directed
22 to make an appropriate copy of this resolution available for distribution to the Albany Area
23 Chamber of Commerce.